

UPPER GWYNEDD TOWNSHIP
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

RESOLUTION 16-2025

A RESOLUTION OF UPPER GWYNEDD TOWNSHIP IN SUPPORT OF SEPTA FUNDING

WHEREAS, the Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (SEPTA)'s ability to operate safe, frequent, reliable transit service is an invaluable, irreplaceable, and foundational service for Upper Gwynedd Township, for Upper Gwynedd Township's local economy, and for the ability of Upper Gwynedd Township's residents to move around southeastern Pennsylvania; and

WHEREAS, SEPTA transports Upper Gwynedd Township residents as they commute to work, visit friends and family, travel to shops and restaurants, and meet their day-to-day transportation needs, while also helping sustain our local businesses by bringing people into Upper Gwynedd Township; and

WHEREAS, funding for SEPTA and other transit agencies in Pennsylvania has stagnated while costs have escalated, a situation that threatens to impose service cuts of up to 45 percent and fare increases of over 20 percent on SEPTA riders; and

WHEREAS, these cuts would be devastating to the Upper Gwynedd Township community, fundamentally altering the everyday lives of countless Upper Gwynedd Township residents, workers, and business owners; and

WHEREAS, the Upper Gwynedd Township Board of Commissioners envisions a different future for SEPTA, in which regional and state policymakers work together to address SEPTA's immediate funding crisis, avert an impending transit disaster, and ultimately rebuild a stronger, more comfortable, more reliable system; and

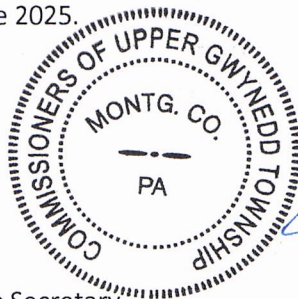
WHEREAS, the Upper Gwynedd Township Board of Commissioners believes it is vital that the Pennsylvania Governor and the General Assembly budget responsibly for transit, and is committed to working together with our local, regional, and state partners to deliver transit solutions that serve our residents and businesses and improve our quality of life;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Upper Gwynedd Township Board of Commissioners that it strongly supports efforts to establish permanent, dedicated, sustainable funding sufficient to restore service for the entire SEPTA network and, ultimately, to expand service and achieve a frequent, safe, reliable system for all riders.

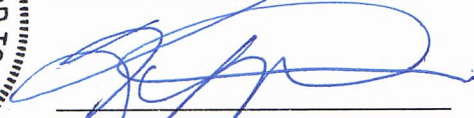
RESOLVED this 9th day of June 2025.



Sandra Brookley Zadell
Township Manager/Township Secretary



UPPER GWYNEDD TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



Katherine Carter
President, Board of Commissioners